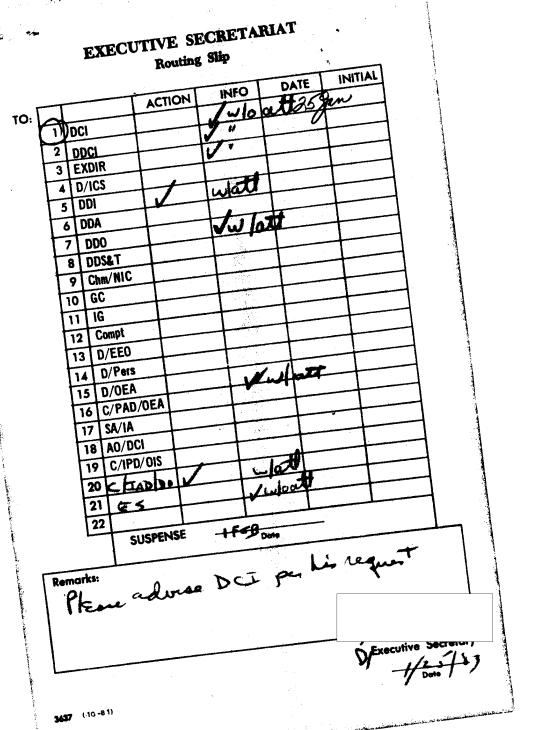
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

Chief, International Activities Division

FROM:

Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT:

National Strategy Information Center Symposium "The Role of Special Operations in US Strategy

for the 1980's - March 4 and 5, 1983

I would like to participate in this but I think it is probably better that I don't. Do either of you think anybody else should, and, if so, who would you suggest? I am inclined to think we would do better to stay away.

However, I think that somebody should attend and bring back whatever insights and perceptions might contribute to our understanding and ability to explain the need and value of these activities.

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